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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR USING DVD  
SUBPICTURE INFORMATION IN A TELEVISION  
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FILING OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION WITH AUTHORIZATION TO  
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Attention: Box Missing Parts

In response to the Notice to File Missing Part of Application, mailed September 19, 2000, and relating to the above identified application Serial No. 09/603,339, for which a shortened statutory period of two (2) months, ended November 19, 2000, Applicants respectfully request a one (1) month extension of time ending December 19, 2000, to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts. Applicants hereby submit the following and authorize the following charges:

- 1) An executed Declaration and Powers of Attorney
- 2) A surcharge of \$130.00 required under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for filing the Declaration at a later than the filing date of the application
- 3) A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533).
- 4) Request for a One (1) Month Extension of Time Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), and authorization to charge deposit account 07-0832 for \$110.00.

Please charge the surcharge to Deposit Account No. 07-0832. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for use in charging the deposit account.

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Date: 11-27-00 Signature: Eliza Buchalczyk  
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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